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## Response to Office Action Notice

Appl. No. 10/698/231 Amdt. Dated: 11/16/2004

Reply to Office Action of 10/25/2004

Application No.: 10/698,231

Confirmation No. 2309

Applicant: Rodolfo Fernandez Jr.

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Art Unit: 3714

Examiner: Bena Miller

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Customer No.: N/A

**Commissioner For Patents** 

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## AMENDMENT TO THE RESPONSE FILED ON JULY 24, 2004

Sir:

The undersigned, previously submitted an Amendment to the above identified application, in the Response filed on July 24, 2004, to a previous Office Action Notice mailed on May 17, 2004.

However, as detailed by the examiner Ms. Bena Miller in the attached second Office Action mailed on October 25, 2004, in said previous Response:

- the applicant did not sign the Response and for that reason it has not been entered;
- the applicant failed\_to include a Statement that "no New Matter has been added to the Specification", which is a requirement to accept the "Substitute Specification" submitted as part of the Response filed on July 24, 2004;
- the numbering in the clean List of Claims submitted within said previous Response is inconsistent with the numbering in the "marked copy" also submitted within the same Response.

In response to this second Office Action Notice mailed on October 25, 2004, hereby the undersigned applicant respectfully requests the amendment to the previous Response filed on July 24, 2004, as follows:

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- Please, replace Page 22 of 23 of the Response filed on July 24, 2004, with the new Page

22 of 23, duly signed, enclosed within the attached Appendix.

- Please, enter as attachment to the Response filed on July 24, 2004, the signed statement

declaring that in the Substitute Specification "no new matter has been added",

conformed to 37 CFR 1.125(b) and (c), in order to accept the replacement of the original

Specification with the "Substitute Specification" submitted as part of the Response filed on

July 24, 2004.

- Please, replace the clean List of Claims previously submitted as part of the Response filed

on July 24, 2004, with the new clean List of Claims, enclosed within the attached

Appendix, wherein the numbering of the claims has been amended to be consistent with

the "marked copy" also previously submitted as part of the Response to the Office

Action Notice mailed on May 17, 2004, and filed on July 24, 2004.

Following page 2 of this paper, an **Appendix** is attached, containing:

- the new signed Page 22 of 23 to replace the Page 22 of 23 of the previous Response

filed on July 24, 2004.

- a signed Statement declaring that "no new matter has been added to the Specification"

and

- a new amended clean List of Claims to replace the List of Claims also previously

submitted as part of the Response filed on July 24, 2004.

The author respectfully requests that the present Response to the Office Action Notice mailed

on October 25, 2004, be accepted to amend the Response filed on July 24, 2004 previously

submitted to comply with the Examiner's remarks and indications in the Office Action Notice

mailed on May 17, 2004.

Respectfully submitted,

Rodolfo Fernandez Jr.

NOTE: For any further clarifications, please, contact the author at your best convenience

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